

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - GROUP ART UNIT 3662

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Docket No. PD-980034

CUSTOMER NO.: 020991

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Donald C. D. Chang et. al.

Serial No. 09/497,865

Filed: February 4, 2000

For: AN IMPROVED PHASED ARRAY TERMINAL FOR
EQUATORIAL SATELLITE CONSTELLATIONS

Date: October 5, 2001

Group Art Unit: 3662

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Applicant petitions for an extension of time for _____ months(s) to respond to the Office Action dated _____. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

Fee \$ _____
An extension for _____ months(s) has already been secured; the fee paid therefor of _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. \$ _____
Extension fee due with this request \$ _____

☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required to respond to the Office Action dated August 9, 2001. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

☒ No additional fee for claims is required.

☒ The fee for claims has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED								
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE				
TOTAL CLAIMS	37	minus	37* =	0	x	\$ 18.00	\$ 0.00	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6	minus	6** =	0	x	\$ 84.00	\$ 0.00	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					+	\$ 280.00	\$ 0.00	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:							\$ 0.00	

Charge \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0383 of Hughes Electronics Corporation, El Segundo, California. Please charge any additional fees for claims or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0383. If any additional extension fee is required, please charge to Deposit Account No. 50-0383. **This form is submitted in triplicate.**

Respectfully submitted,

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